

MERRY CHRISTMAS

We desire to wish everyone of our customers and friends a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. January 1, 1912, New Years Day will be Calendar Day at our store. Call and get the pretty souvenir we have provided for you.

Thanking each and everyone for the past patronage, we are

respectfully,

The Estancia Drug Co

EXECUTRIX NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of John McKenna, late of Torrance county, New Mexico, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, Mary W. King, by the Probate Court of said county of Torrance, bearing date of May 1st, 1911. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance, within the time prescribed by law, or they may be precluded from all or any benefit of such estate. Said claims may be sent to George P. Leonard, Albuquerque, New Mexico as my agent to receive the same for me.

MARY W. KING,

12-15 I-5

Executrix

PUBLIC LAND AND MINING CASES.

If you are interested in any contest or any matter before the Interior Department, write to Clark & Wright, registered land lawyers, 902 F Street, N. W. (opposite Gen'l Land Office), Washington, D. C. Free information about contests and where to obtain scrip, locatable upon public lands without residence or cultivation.

Bound to Slide.

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FOR SALE—For next ten days \$125 will buy Lot 11, Block 65, in Estancia. Address: E. P. Shield, 1130 Ingraham St., Los Angeles, Cal.

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Teachers Examination

Dear Teacher:—

I am advised by the Department of Education at Santa Fe that the regular mid-winter examination will be held Friday and Saturday January 12th and 13th, 1912. The examination for Torrance County will be held at the school house, Estancia, commencing on Friday at eight o'clock A. M.

Under the law all permits and special certificate expire on this date and all those holding such will have to take the examination. There are those who hold a higher certificate still. I would advise you to be there and try and raise the grade still higher. The higher the certificate the higher the salary that may be expected and asked. In order for holders of permits to draw any pay after this date it will be necessary for you to take the examination.

Should there be any others in the county wishing to take the examination, I will be glad to have them there. Should any eight grade or high school pupils wish to take the examination and will furnish their own supplies, I will be glad to have them there and there will be no examination fee charged them, unless they send their papers to Santa Fe, for grading. The regular fee of three dollars will be charged.

Those writing on third grade questions will need to take only one day (Friday) for the work.

Wishing you all a merry Christmas and thanking you for your past work, I am

Very Respectfully Yours,

Chas. L. Burt.

Supt. of Schools, Torrance Co.

Divide the Offices

Santa Fe, N. M., Dec. 23—When the official canvassing board, which, since the 27th of last month, has been at work on the recent New Mexico election, adjourned this afternoon the result of the voting, so far as the state ticket and judiciary is concerned, was known.

Prior to adjournment the

board handed down its decisions in all the cases in controversy save that of Clayton, which has been certified to the district court and is to come up before Judge McFie next Tuesday.

In its decision the board in every instance sustained the contentions of Neil B. Field and C. D. Cleveland who represented the interests of the democratic party.

In the matter of the Melrose, Reserve and Teanaja precincts, where the poll books were not sent with the returns, the board held that their absence was not fatal and ordered that the vote in these precincts be counted.

In several precincts in Valencia and other counties where there were no tally sheets, the board likewise decided that the vote should be counted.

The completion of the canvassing board's work shows that the parties divided equally on the state ticket, the republicans electing eight and the democrats eight of the sixteen candidates, as follows:

Governor—W. C. McDonald, democrat.

—Lieutenant Governor, E. C. De Baca, democrat.

Secretary of State—Antonio Lucero, democrat.

State Auditor—W. J. Sargent, republican.

Attorney General—Frank W. Clancy, republican.

Commissioner of public Lands—Robert P. Ervien, republican.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction—Alvan N. White, democrat.

Justices of the Supreme Court—Clarence J. Roberts, republican;

Frank W. Parker, republican.

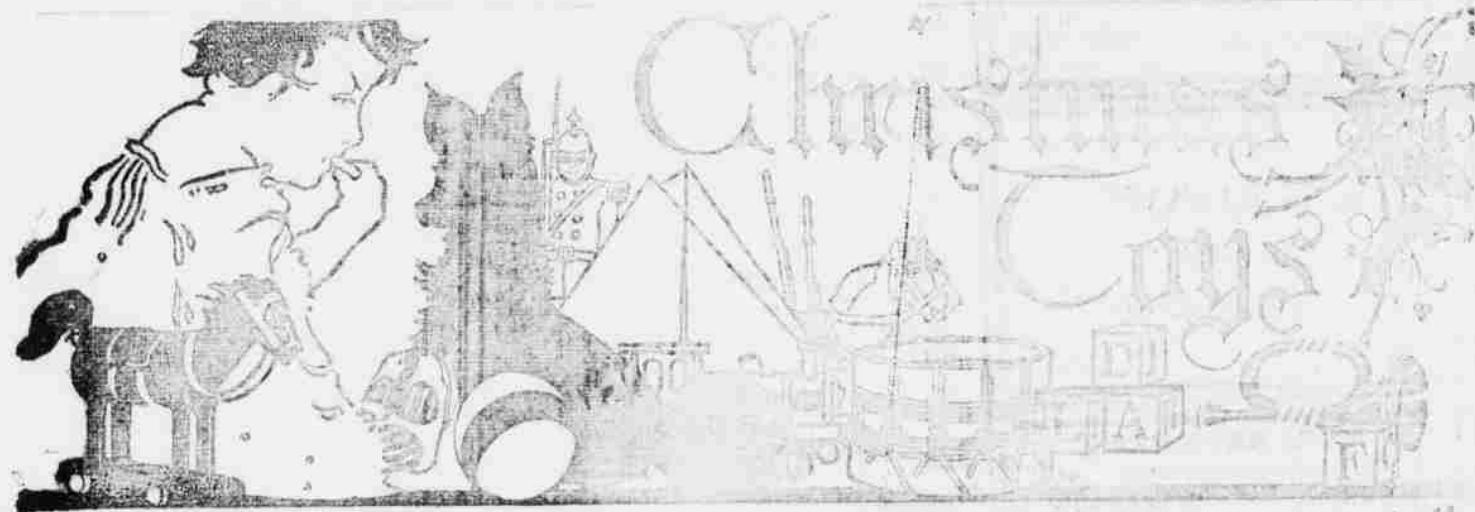
Richard H. Hanna, progressive.

Corporation Commissioners—Hugh Williams, republican;

M. S. Groves, republican; G. H. Van Stone, progressive.

Congressmen—George Curry, republican; H. B. Ferguson, democrat.

When the board re-convenes next week it will dispose of the matter of the Clayton precinct, issue the election certificates to the successful candidates, make its report to the president and adjourn sine die. It is expected that this work can be completed in time so that the statehood proclamation can be issued and the inauguration ceremonies held not later than January 4.



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